

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NOS. 1999-364-C & 1999-416-C - ORDER NO. 1999-908

DECEMBER 30, 1999

IN RE:	Docket No. 1999-364-C – Application of Avana)	ORDER
	Communications Corporation DBA AvanaCom)	CONSOLIDATING
	for a Certificate of Public Convenience and)	DOCKETS
	Necessity to Operate as a Reseller of)	
	Interexchange Telecommunications Services)	
	within the State of South Carolina.)	
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	AND)	
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	Docket No. 1999-416-C – Application of Avana)	
	Communications Corporation for a Certificate of)	
	Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide)	
	Resold Local Exchange Services within the State)	
	of South Carolina.)	
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This matter comes before the South Carolina Public Service Commission (the “Commission”) by way of a request from AVANA Communications Corporation for the Commission to consolidate scheduled hearings in Docket Numbers 1999-416-C and 1999-364-C. On December 6, 1999, AVANA Communications Corporation, by letter, requested that the hearings on its two applications pending before the Commission be consolidated and heard during one hearing on January 6, 2000.

The Commission finds that the applications of AVANA Communications Corporation should be consolidated and heard on January 6, 2000. We believe that the consolidation of these two applications will prevent the need for two hearings and will

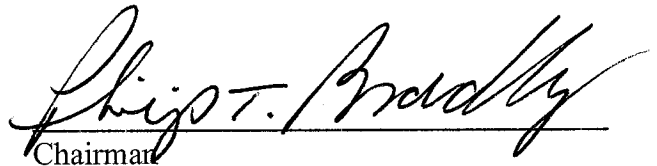
reduce expenses related to the proceeding for the applicant and the Commission. Finally, we do not believe that any party will be prejudiced by the consolidation of these applications into one hearing.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

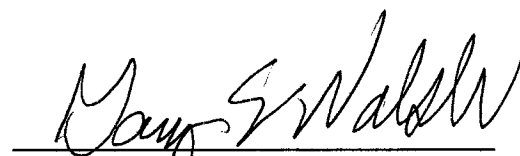
1. AVANA Communications Corporation's applications in Docket Numbers 1999-364-C and 1999-416-C shall be consolidated and scheduled for a hearing on **January 6, 2000, at 12:30 p.m.**

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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